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Dublin Caſtle, February 2, 1781.

HIS Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleaſed to appoint the following Gentlemen to be High Sheriffs for the preſent Year.

County of Limerick, John Grady, of Cahir, Eſq;
County of Armagh, James Alexander, of Corr Tynan, Eſq;
County of Down, Cromwell Price, of Hoſlymount, Eſq;
County of Wicklow, Thomas Acton, of Eaſt Acton, Eſq;
County of Roſcommon, James Irwin, of Barnhill, Eſq;
County of Dublin, Sir John Stuart Hamilton, Bart.
County of Weſtmeath, Cuthbert Fetherſton, of Moyſtown, Eſq;
County of Cavan, Francis Saunderſon, of Caſtle Saunderſon, Eſq;

War-Office, February 10, 1781.

2d Troop of Horſe Guards, Sub-Brigadier and Cornet Charles Barton is appointed to be Brigadier and Lieutenant, vice George Fairfield.

Ditto, Thomas Sleorgin, Gent. to be Sub-Brigadier and Cornet, vice Charles Barton.

Royal Regiment of Horſe Guards, William Paul Cerjat, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Robert Blunt.

1ſt Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain Charles Talbot to be Captain of a Company, vice Robert Hampden Pye.

Ditto, Enſign Charles Aſgill to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Talbot.

Coldſtream Regiment of Foot Guards, Major William Lord Cathcart, of 38th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice James Hamilton.

5th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Roger Hall Sheaffe to be Lieutenant, vice Joſeph Smyth Symes.

Ditto, Lieutenant Thomas Alliſon, of the North Yorkſhire Militia, to be Enſign, vice Roger Hall Sheaffe.

25th Regiment of Foot, Watſon Balderſton, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Chamney.

52d Regiment of Foot, Captain Henry Thurloe Shadwell, of 90th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Charles Newton.

83d Regiment of Foot, Enſign David Fleming to be Lieutenant, vice John French.

Ditto, Philip Nicole, Gent. to be Enſign, vice David Fleming.

90th Regiment of Foot, Captain Charles Newton, of 52d Foot, to be Captain, vice Henry Thurloe Shadwell.

95th Regiment of Foot, Captain James Corbet to be Major, vice Francis Peirſon.

Ditto, Lieutenant Gilbert Waugh to be Captain, vice James Corbet.

Ditto, Enſign Charles Byne to be Lieutenant, vice Gilbert Waugh.

Ditto, John Samuel Locke, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Charles Byne.

97th Regiment of Foot, Adjutant James Downes to be Enſign, vice Richard Darby.

98th Regiment of Foot, Thomas Black, Gent. to be Lieutenant.

Ditto, Lewis Borthwick, Gent. to be Lieutenant.

Ditto, Enſign Thomas Thompſon, of 100th Foot, to be Lieutenant.

Ditto, Enſign David Robertſon, of 83d Foot, to be Lieutenant.

John Taubman, Eſquire, to be Captain in the Army.

Lieutenant Neil Stewart, of the Invalids in North Britain, to be Lieutenant in Captain Charles Terrott's Independent Company of Invalids at Hull, vice Samuel Hadley.

Lieutenant Samuel Hadley, of the Invalids at Hull, to be Lieutenant in Captain James Elliot's Independent Company of Invalids in North Britain, vice Neil Stewart.

Commiſſions ſigned by His Majeſty for the Army in Ireland.

3d Regiment of Foot, Enſign Arthur Bernard to be Lieutenant, vice John Bidulph, by Purchaſe. Dated January 26, 1781.

Ditto, Mr. John Donaghy to be Enſign, vice Bernard.

30th Foot, Mr. Wilfred Wilkinſon to be Enſign, vice Henry Gambſe, by Purchaſe. Dated as above.

Captain Henry Bowyer, of the 66th Regiment of Foot, and Deputy Adjutant General in Ireland, to be Major in the Army. Dated January 16, 1781.

General Poſt-Office, February 3, 1781.

THE Poſt-Boy bringing the Briſtol Mail on Monday Morning the 29th Day of January laſt, from Maidenhead, was ſtopt between Two and Three of the Clock by a ſingle Highwayman, with a Crape over his Face, between the Eleventh and Twelfth Mile-ſtone, near to Cranford-bridge, who preſented a Piſtol to him, and after making him alight, drove away the Horſe and Cart, which were found about Seven o'Clock the ſame Morning the Robbery was committed, in a Meadow Field near Farmer Lett's at Twyford in Middleſex, when it appeared that the greateſt Part of the Letters were taken out of the Bath and Briſtol Bags, and the following Bags entirely taken away.

Pewſey	Wantage	Cheltenham
Calne	Cirenceſter	Fairford
Newbury	Stroud	Lechlade
Trowbridge	Wootton under Edge	Lampeter
Melkſham	Gloucester	Carmarthen
Bradford	Tewkeſbury	Tenby
Wallingford	Hereford	Haverford Weſt
Maidenhead	Leominſter	Pembroke
Henley	Northleach	Abergavenny
Reading		

One George Weſton is ſtrongly ſuſpected to be concerned in the above Robbery, he having, between Tueſday the 30th of January and Friday the 2d inſtant, negotiated ſeveral Bank Poſt Bills and Bank Notes, which had been in the Mail, in Leiceſterſhire, Nottinghamſhire, Derbyſhire, Yorkſhire, Northumberland, Lincolnſhire, Huntingdonſhire, and Hertfordſhire, in the Name of James Jackſon, and in Character of a Naval Officer, wearing the exact Uniform of a Midſhipman,

[Price Three-pence Halfpenny.]

HALFPENNY

ſhipman, viz. a Blue Coat turned up with White, White Waiſtcoat, Yellow Buttons with an Anchor upon them, and a plain cocked Hat with a Cockade in it.

He was purſued from Nottinghamſhire to London, on the direct North Road through Stevenage, Ware and Endfield, and got out of a Poſt-Chaiſe and Four in Biſhopſgate-ſtreet, about Half paſt Ten on Friday Night the 2d Inſtant, immediately took an Hackney Coach, and was ſet down in the firſt Court in Newgate-ſtreet which leads to St. Paul's Church-yard, where he took a Pair of Piſtols and Portmanteau under his Arm, and walked towards the Church-yard.

The ſaid George Weſton is deſcribed to be about Five Feet Six or Seven Inches high, about Twenty-four or Twenty-five Years of Age, his Hair of a lightiſh Brown Colour, cut ſhort before, and tied behind, freſh coloured, pitted with the Small Pox, thin made, ſpeaks quick, and when he arrived in London had Boots on, and a light coloured Great Coat. He lodged at the Coventry Croſs, in Potters-fields, Tooley-ſtreet, about Four Months ago, has a Brother named Joſeph Weſton, and both are reputed to be Highwaymen.

Whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon who committed this Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen; or if any Perſon, whether an Accomplice in the Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery, whereby the Perſon who committed the ſame may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party, be entitled to the ſame Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter-General,
Anth. Todd, *Sec.*

Admiralty Office, February 6, 1781.

THESE are to give Notice, that a General Court of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy, will be held at this Office on Thurſday the 22d Inſtant, in order to chuſe Two Vice-Preſidents and Fifteen Aſſiſtants for the Year enſuing.

East-India Houſe, February 7, 1781.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet, on Thurſday the 1ſt of March next, from Nine o'Clock in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of a Director of the ſaid Company, in the Room of Richard Becher, Eſq; who has diſqualified himſelf.

Marine Pay-Office, February 8, 1781.

IN Purſuance of the Direction of the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, the Paymaſter of His Majeſty's Marine Forces hereby gives Notice, That on Tueſday next, the 13th Inſtant, will be iſſued at this Office, Six Months Half-Pay, due to the Reduced Officers of the ſaid Forces, from the 1ſt of July to the 31ſt of December laſt, both Days incluſive.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Sloop Cormorant, John Willett Payne, Eſq; Commander, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the Spaniſh Frigate Santa Margaretta, on the 11th of November, 1779, that they will be paid their reſpective Proportions of the ſaid Prize, on Thurſday the 15th inſtant, at the Houſe of Mr. Edward Mayne, No. 3, New Broad-ſtreet, London; and the Shares then unclaimed will be recalled at the ſame Houſe the firſt Thurſday in every Month for Three Years to come.

Edward Mayne, *for Mayne and Co. of Liſbon, and William Julius Mickle.*

AVERAGE PRICES of CORN,

From January 29, to February 3, 1781.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Buſhel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
London,	6	6	2	9	2	1	2	0	2	7
COUNTIES INLAND.										
Middleſex,	6	7	—		2	3	2	0	2	11
Surry,	6	6	—		2	2	2	1	3	3
Hertford,	6	7	—		2	4	2	1	3	5
Bedford,	6	2	3	7	2	2	1	11	2	11
Cambridge,	6	1	3	3	2	0	1	7	2	9
Huntingdon,	6	0	—		2	1	1	8	2	11
Northampton,	5	8	2	11	1	11	1	7	2	11
Rutland,	5	11	—		2	0	1	6	2	10
Leiceſter,	5	8	2	9	2	0	1	5	2	10
Nottingham,	5	2	3	8	1	10	1	8	2	9
Derby,	5	8	—		2	1	1	9	3	3
Staſford,	5	8	—		2	2	1	9	3	3
Salop,	5	3	3	4	2	0	1	6	3	1
Hereford,	5	7	—		1	8	1	6	2	11
Worceſter,	5	3	2	11	2	1	1	10	2	11
Warwick,	5	8	—		2	1	1	11	2	10
Glouceſter,	5	11	—		2	0	1	8	3	1
Wilts,	5	10	—		2	1	1	8	3	6
Berks,	6	0	—		2	0	1	10	2	9
Oxford,	6	2	—		2	0	1	10	2	10
Bucks,	6	3	—		2	1	1	11	2	10
COUNTIES upon the COAST.										
Eſſex,	6	3	—		2	0	1	11	2	8
Suffolk,	5	10	2	6	1	11	1	7	2	7
Norfolk,	6	5	4	1	1	8	1	7	3	0
Lincoln,	5	3	2	11	1	10	1	6	2	8
York,	5	5	3	11	2	1	1	8	2	11
Durham,	5	6	—		2	1	1	7	3	7
Northumberland,	5	2	3	7	2	1	1	8	2	9
Cumberland,	5	5	3	9	2	2	1	7	2	10
Weſtmorland,	5	11	3	4	—		1	7	2	8
Lancaſhire,	5	9	—		2	5	1	9	3	1
Cheſhire,	5	11	3	11	2	4	1	8	—	
Monmouth,	5	7	—		2	2	1	6	—	
Somerſet,	5	11	2	9	2	0	1	7	2	6
Devon,	6	5	—	—	2	5	1	4	—	
Cornwall,	5	7	—		2	3	1	4	—	
Dorſet,	6	1	—		2	1	1	11	3	3
Hampſhire,	6	0	—		2	1	1	10	2	11
Suſſex,	6	4	—		2	0	1	9	2	8
Kent,	6	9	—		2	2	1	10	2	6

From January 22, to January 27, 1781.

WALES.										
North Wales,	5	1	3	5	2	0	1	2	2	9
South Wales,	4	9	3	4	1	10	1	1	2	0

Part of SCOTLAND.

Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Big.	
4	8	—		1	11	1	7	—		2	0

Publiſhed by Authority of Parliament,
John James Catherwood.

Plymouth, February 6, 1781.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Ship Stag, Robert Palliſer Cooper, Eſq; Commander, who were actually on Board, on the 20th of March, 1780, at retaking the Sartine French Privateer, and the Clarendon Weſt Indiaman, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of the Head Money and Salvage for the ſaid Veſſels, on the 14th Inſtant, or as ſoon as poſſible after the Arrival of the Stag at Portſmouth or Plymouth; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at Plymouth Dock, on the Firſt Monday in every Month, for Three Years to come.

Brod. Hartwell, *of Plymouth Dock, Agent.*

London, February 10, 1781.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's late Sloop the Diſpatch, or the legal Repreſentatives of thoſe, who were actually on Board her under the Command of Chriſtopher Maſon, Eſq; on the 3d of February, 1778, at the Capture of the Snow Lively, (ſince condemned, on Appeal, to the Uſe of the Captors) that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of the Nett Proceeds of the ſaid Veſſel and Cargo, at the French Horn in Crutched-friars, on Monday the 19th Inſtant; where Recalls will alſo be made

maat the Third Monday in every Month for Three Years to come.

Geo. Cherry, *of Clapham,*
Joſeph Davies, *of Brompton,* } *Agents.*

A General Quarterly Meeting of the Truſtees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Suſſex is appointed to be held at the Three Tuns Tavern, St. Margaret's Hill, Southwark, on Thurſday the 22d of February, 1781, at Twelve o'Clock, to chooſe Truſtees in the Room of thoſe who are dead, removed, or refuſe to act; and upon other Affairs relating to the Truſt.

Roger Peck, *Clerk.*

A Meeting of the Truſtees for repairing the Roads from Baldock, through Royſton, to the Turnpike Road at or near Bournbridge, in the Counties of Hertford and Cambridge, is appointed to be held at the Red Lion Inn in Royſton, on Monday the 26th Day of February inſtant. Dated February 10, 1781.

Iſa. Wilkinſon, *Clerk to the Truſtees.*

Scheme of the Iriſh State Lottery for 1781.

		£.		£.
1	Prize of		—	10,000
2	—	5000	—	10,000
3	—	2000	—	6000
6	—	1000	—	6000
10	—	500	—	5000
50	—	100	—	5000
80	—	50	—	4000
200	—	20	—	4000
5150	—	10	—	51,500
	First drawn First 5 Days,	100 each		500
	First drawn 8th Day		—	500
	First drawn 12th Day		—	500
	Laſt drawn	—	—	2000
5502	Prizes			
15498	Blanks			
21000	Tickets, at 5l.	—	—	105,000

To commence drawing the 26th of March next.

Signed, by Order of the Managers and Directors,
C. and R. DEEY, Secretaries.

BILLS LOST.

WHereas the undermentioned Bills were loſt in Wood-ſtreet or Lad-lane on Wedneſday the 7th Inſtant, and will be of no Service but to the Proprietor; the Public are hereby cautioned againſt receiving the ſame in Payment: And a Reward of TWO GUINEAS is offered to any Perſon that may bring the ſame to No. 23, Wood-ſtreet, or that may give Notice of any Perſon or Perſons tendering the ſame for Negotiation, ſo as to lead to their Diſcovery, viz. Planche and Jaquery's Note of Hand to Joſeph Buckley, for 325l. 3s. 6d. dated January 4, 1781, at Three Months, No. 415; alſo a Bill drawn by Joſeph Rayner to his own Order, for 311l. 9s. on William and George Panter, dated Jannary 31, 1781, at Two Months, No. 644.

TAKEN out of the Mail which was robbed on the 29th of January, 1781, The following Bank Poſt Bills:

S 5916	Dec. 1, 1780,	payable to Rich. Maltby,	50l.
S 8045	Dec. 21,	Ditto,	50l.
S 9864	Jan. 8, 1781,	Kath. Shelley,	33l. 14
T 1060	Jan. 16,	M. Humphrys,	100l.
T 1061	Jan. 16,	Ditto,	100l.
T 1063	Jan. 16,	Ditto,	100l.

If offered to be negotiated, pleaſe to ſtop them, and give Notice to Meſſ. Boldero, Kendall, and Co. Lombard-ſtreet, London, and a generous Reward will be given.

ALL Perſons who have any Claims on the Eſtate of John Hill, late of Illogan in Cornwall, are deſired to ſend in the ſame, atteſted on Oath, to Thomas Hill, at No. 136, Cheapſide, before the 14th Day of March next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of a Final Dividend, which will be made on that Day, at Four o'Clock.

THE Creditors of the late Miſs Chriſtian Forbes, Milliner in Aberdeen, are deſired to lodge their Claims directly with Arthur Dingwall Fordyce, Eſq; Advocate in Aberdeen, that Meaſures may be taken for their Payment.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Ulyſſes Fitzmaurice, Eſq; deceaſed, late Governor of the Iſland of Dominica, are to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, London, on or before the 1ſt Day of March next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Miles Benſon, late of Woodmancote in the County of Southampton, Yeoman, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before William Weller Pepys, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 24th Day of February inſtant, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

February 6, 1781.

THE Partnerſhip between Meſſ. Bertels, Parys, and Clayton, of King-ſtreet, St. James's-ſquare, Auctioneers, was diſſolved, according to Agreement, on the 24th Day of January, 1781. And all Perſons indebted to ſaid Partnerſhip are requeſted immediately to pay the ſame to S. Clayton, No. 123, Pall-mall.

J. Bertels.
M. Parys.
Sam. Clayton.

N. B. The Proprietors of Furniture, Pictures, and Effects, in the above Parties Warehouſe, are deſired to clear and take away the ſame, as they cannot be anſwerable for any Loſs or Damage they may ſuſtain.

THE Creditors of Mr. John Haynes, late of the Borough of Southwark, Hop-factor, who have not already executed the Deed of Truſt, are requeſted to ſend an Account of their reſpective Demands to Mr. Henry Knowles, of the ſame Place, Hop-merchant, one of the Truſtees of the ſaid Eſtate, and alſo to execute the Deed of Truſt, (the ſame being left in his Hands for that Purpoſe) on or before the 1ſt Day of March next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the Dividend under the ſame. And all Perſons indebted to ſuch Eſtate are requeſted to pay the ſame to the ſaid Mr. Knowles, without further Notice.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Webſter, of Derby in the County of Derby, Banker and Money-ſcrivener, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Saturday next, the 17th Day of February inſtant, preciſely at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Bell Inn, in Derby, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from their commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued againſt George Bond, late of Ivy-lane in the Pariſh of St. Faith in the City of London, Vintner, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 27th Days of February inſtant, and on the 24th Day of March next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Hodgſon, in Charles-ſtreet, St. James's.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued againſt Samuel Coote, of Lavenham in the County of Suffolk, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 19th and 27th Days of February inſtant, and on the 24th Day of March next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Lowten, Lamb's-buildings, Temple.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph George Pedley, of the City of Briſtol, Dealer and Chapman, [now a Priſoner in the Goal of Newgate for the ſaid City] and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th Day of February inſtant, and on the 1ſt and 24th Days of March next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Houſe of Francis Wheeler, the Rummer Tavern, in All-ſaints lane, Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the